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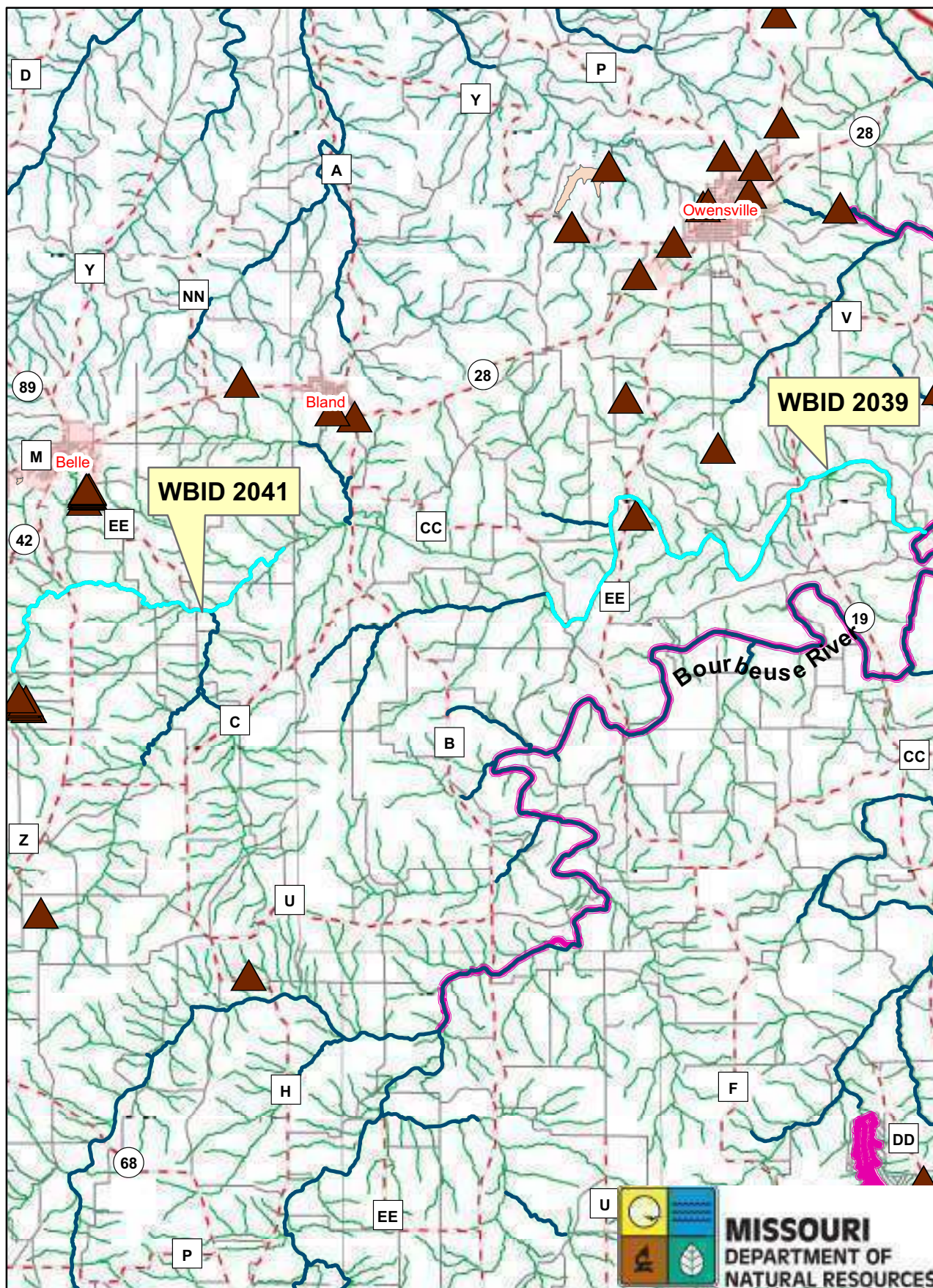
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May 21, 2008 – August 31, 2008

Dry Fork Creek
WBID # 2039

Class P
Gasconade County

Missouri Department of Natural Resources
Water Protection Program
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**Dry Fork Creek
WBID 2039 (class P)
& WBID 2041 (Class C)**



map created by: Bill Whipps
MODNR WPCB
10/20/08

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Recreational Use of Your Stream

Name: TONY & TERI ABELA
Address: 130 E 2ND HERMAN MO 65041
Phone Number: (573) 486-5741 E-mail address: abela1959@yahoo.com
Stream name: DRY FORK WBID (if known): 2041

What county is the stream in? GASCONADE

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?
Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

Swimming Playing Fishing Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking Canoeing Trapping Other: Frogging

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? SWIMMING
SMALL MOUTH BASS FISHING

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example:

150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.
FROM HWY EE BRIDGE, S. OF OWASVILLE TRAVELING WEST TO THE BURBON RIVER
GREAT SMALL MOUTH FISHING ALSO ROCK BASS WADE FISHING & SWIMMING
I've ALSO TUBED the lower PARTS

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?
Yes ☒ No ☐

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

Swimming Playing Fishing Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking Canoeing Trapping Other: _____

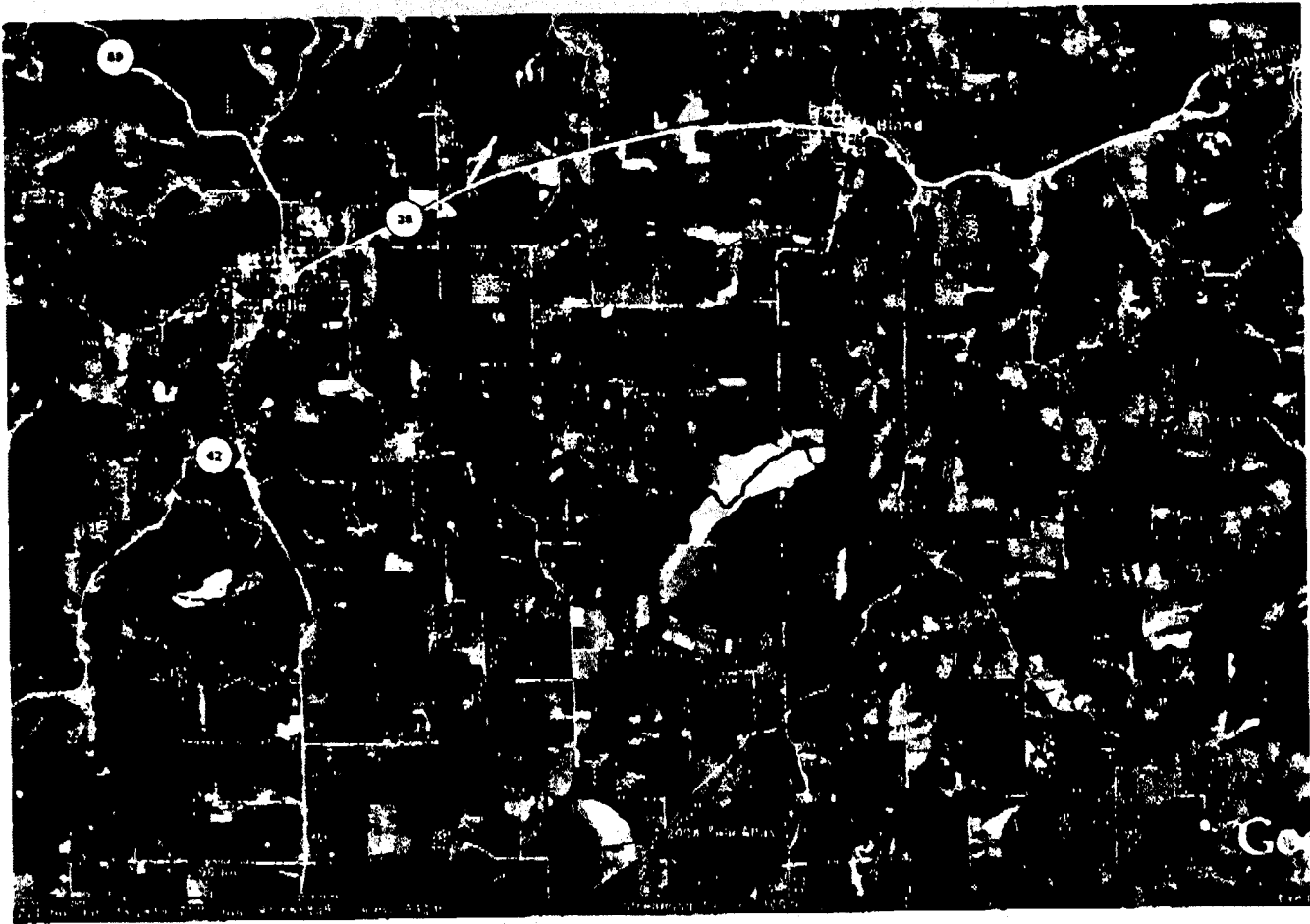
Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? FISHING - SWIMMING WADING

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

I've seen other FISHERMAN ALONG the lower PARTS
described above don't know them personally

Signature Anthony Abela Date July 12 - 08

Mail to: John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102.
or Fax: 573-522-9920, or Email: john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov



This stream MUST continue to be monitored
 Because it flows into the BURBOSSE RIVER
 unchecked, this is some rugged + beautiful
 country. We don't need MALIKIA. OR some other
 d-s-ess. Run it Here

THANKS YR!!
 Keep it the good work!
 Tony Ter. Abela.
 130 E 2nd
 Hermann MO
 GPS COMAT CO.

7/12/2008

<http://www.moenvirom.org/UAA/DryForkCreek.jpg>



"Jenny Abney"
<jenny@mssc1lc.com>
07/11/2008 10:57 AM

To john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov
cc dsherburn@moenviron.org
bcc
Subject FW:

Dear Mr. Hoke,

Please find my Recreation Use Comment Form attached. Let me know if you are unable to open this file and I will gladly fax it to you. I grew up living on Dry Fork Creek and now I live just a short distance away. My parents still own land along the Dry Fork and our family spends lots of time along the creek, swimming, wading and fishing. It would be a shame to destroy this natural resource and make it unavailable for use. Thank you for your time and consideration on this important matter.

-----Original Message-----

From: MSSC Scanner - Owensville [mailto:scan2@mssc1lc.com]
Sent: Friday, July 11, 2008 5:44 AM
To: JENNY ABNEY
Subject:

Please open the attached document. This document was digitally sent to you using an HP Digital Sending device.



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Recreational Use of Your Stream

Name: Virginia Abney

Address: 1910 Hecker Rd. Owensville, MO 65066

Phone Number: (573) 437-6745 E-mail address: jenny@msscllc.com

Stream name: Dry Fork Creek WBID (if known): _____

What county is the stream in? Gasconade

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes XXX No _____

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☐ Playing ☐ Fishing ☐ Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking Canoeing Trapping Other: _____

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes X No _____ If so, how? *I grew up on this stream and spent many hours swimming, wading and fishing. This land has been in our family for close to 100 years. I now have children of my own and we often go to the creek to swim and play. It is a great place to teach my children about the wonders of nature and share with them stores of my childhood. I would really hate for them to lose out on this wonderful experience and not be able to pass it on to their children as I did mine, like my parents did and my grandparents.*

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

We would wade and fish from Jost Road to past HWY 19 bridge. We swim by Hwy 19 bridge.

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes X No _____

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☐ Playing ☐ Fishing ☐ Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking Canoeing Trapping Other: _____

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes X No _____ If so, how? *There is a nice swimming hole up from HWY 19 bridge. Anytime someone goes swimming there is a chance to ingest water.*

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

Same as above.

Signature

Virginia K Abney

Date

7/11/08

Recreational Use of Your Stream

Name: James Andrews

Address: _1335 Wildcat Road, Bland, MO. 65014

Phone Number: (573) 646-5270 **E-mail address:** jandrews@socket.net

Stream name: Dry Fork_ **WBID** (if known): _2041

What county is the stream in? Gasconade

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes _X_ No ____

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

Swimming Playing Fishing Wading

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes _X_ No ____ If so, how?

__swimming_____

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

100 Yards above and below low water bridge at Krause Road and Republican Road

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes _X_ No ____

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

Swimming Playing Fishing Wading

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes _X_ No ____ If so, how?

__swimming_____

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

100 yards above and below Krause Road low water Bridge. Also at Republican low water bridge

Signature James G. Andrews Date July 13, 2008

Mail to: John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102,
or **Fax:** 573-522-9920, or **Email:** john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov

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Missouri Department of Natural Resources

Stream Usage Survey

1. Stream Name (Please enter the full name)

2. County (Please enter the county or counties where the use occurs)

3. City or Town (Please enter city or town closest to the area of use)

4. Where do you use the stream? If use occurs in multiple locations, please list them all below. (Please be specific so the location can be identified on a map, e.g., 9th Street Bridge, Anytown City Park, Quarter Section-Township-Range, Latitude/Longitude, etc).

5. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?
☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #6 ☐ No If No, go to Question #11

6. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for any of the following whole body contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:
☒ Swimming ☒ Tubing ☐ Snorkling/Skin Diving ☐ Water Skiing

7. How many times per year have you or your family personally used the stream for these activities?

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9. How many times per year have you or your family personally used the stream for these activities?

10. How many of these times did children wade or play in the stream?

11. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?
☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #12 ☐ No If No, go to Question #17

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15. How many times per year have you observed or heard of others using the stream for these activities?

16. How many of these times did you observe or hear of children wading or playing in the stream?

17. Do you have additional comments you would like to provide the department regarding this stream?

18. In the event the department has questions, please provide the following contact information:

First Name: Last Name:

Address 1: Address 2:

City: State: Zip Code:

Phone Number: () - ext. E-mail:

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Recreational Use of Your Stream

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JUL 22 2008
WATER PROTECTION PROGRAM

Name:

John Buchler

Address:

20625 Hwy 42-E Belle Mo. 65013

Phone Number: (573) 859-6527 E-mail address:

Stream name:

Dry Fork

WBID (if known): 2041

What county is the stream in?

Maries J. Gasconade

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975? Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking Canoeing Trapping Other: _____

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how?

while swimming

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

2 miles south of 28 Hwy in Maries
about 1/2 mile by Krouse Schube in Gasconade Co.

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975? Yes ☒ No ☐

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking Canoeing Trapping Other: _____

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how?

by swimming

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

The same as on first sheet.

Signature *John Buehler* Date *July 21, 08*

Mail to: John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102,

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Recreational Use of Your Stream

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Name:

Mildred Buehrle

Address:

20625 Hwy 42-E Belle Mead 65013

Phone Number: (533) 859-6527 E-mail address:

Stream name:

Dry Fork WBID (if known): 2041

What county is the stream in? Marietta Gasconade

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975? Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking Canoeing Trapping Other: _____

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how?

When Swimming

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

By Krasve SLABING GASCONADE CO.
From below Vichy Airport to peavine in Marietta
Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975? Yes ☒ No ☐

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Tubing Kayaking Canoeing Trapping Other: _____

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how?

While Swimming or Wading.

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

From Vichy Airport to EE Hwy in Gasconade Co

Signature Walter Buchler Date 7-21-08

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Recreational Use of Your Stream

Name:

Paul Bushlen

Address:

3764 Farris Rd. Owensville, MO 65066

Phone Number: (573) 201-1599 E-mail address:

Stream name: Dry Fork Creek WBID (if known): 2091

What county is the stream in? Marion Gasconade

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975? Yes X No

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

Swimming Playing Fishing Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking Canoeing Trapping Other:

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes X No If so, how?

Swimming

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map. 5 miles ~~East~~ West of Hwy 28

Bridge to the Hwy EE Bridge

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975? Yes X No

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

Swimming Playing Fishing Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking Canoeing Trapping Other: Sailing

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes X No If so, how?

Swimming

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

Hwy 28 bridge to Hwy 19 bridge

Signature

Paul Burch

Date

2/29/08

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or **Fax:** 573-522-9920, or **Email:** john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov

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Recreational Use of Your Stream

Name: James Candrl

Address: 6120 E. Richland Rd. Columbia MO 65201

Phone Number: (573) 256-4555

E-mail address: jcandrl@usgs.gov

Stream name: Dry Fork Creek

WBID (if known): _____

What county is the stream in? Gasconade

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes XXXX No _____

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

Swimming Playing Fishing Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking Canoeing Trapping Other: Collecting scientific specimens

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes XXXX No _____ If so, how? Swimming

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

200 yards upstream and downstream from Hwy EE bridge (Gasconade County).

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes XXXX No _____

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

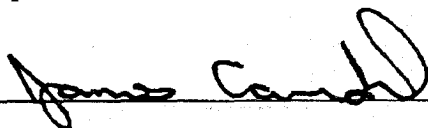
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100 yards upstream and downstream from Hwy EE bridge (Gasconade County)

Signature



Date

7/14/08

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Recreational Use of Your Stream

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Name: Jessie Cargas AUG 22 2008
Address: 2485 Broadmark Road MO 6309 WATER PROTECTION PROGRAM
Phone Number: (573) 764-6036 E-mail address: TCS-JCARGAS@Yanoo.com
Stream name: Dry Fork Creek WBID (if known): 2011

What county is the stream in? Cass

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☐ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Water skiing ☐ Snorkeling ☐ Skin diving
☐ Tubing ☐ Kayaking ☒ Canoeing ☐ Trapping ☐ Other: _____

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Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☐ No ☐ If so, how? _____

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Signature Jessie Cargas Date 8/18/08

Mail to: John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102,
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"Jessie Cargas "
<tcs_jcargas@yahoo.com>

09/07/2008 05:43 PM

To "Michael Kruse" <michael.kruse@dnr.mo.gov>

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Subject Re: Fw: Dry Fork Creek

Sorry so late...

Dry Fork on Highway 19, North of Bem.

Jessie

--- Michael Kruse <michael.kruse@dnr.mo.gov> wrote:

> Mr. Cargas,
>
> Thank you again for submitting comments regarding
> your recreational uses
> of the Dry Fork Creek. To ensure I apply your
> comments to the correct
> stream, could you provide me with additional
> location information
> regarding your uses, so they may be identified on a
> map? I've included my
> previous message below for your reference. I am also
> available Monday
> through Friday from 8:00am to 4:30pm at (573)
> 522-4901. I also have
> voicemail available if you cannot reach me during
> those hours. Again,
> thank you for your interest in Dry Fork Creek and I
> look forward to
> hearing from you.

> Thanks,

> Mike Kruse
> Environmental Specialist
> Div. of Env. Quality/Water Protection Program
> Mo. Dept. of Natural Resources, Jefferson City
> Ph: (573) 522-4901 FAX: (573) 522-9920
> michael.kruse@dnr.mo.gov

> ----- Forwarded by Michael Kruse/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR on
> 09/04/2008 09:16 AM

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> Michael Kruse/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR
> 08/27/2008 08:47 AM

> To
> TCS_JCARGAS@Yahoo.com
> cc

> Subject
> Dry Fork Creek

> Mr. Cargas,

>
> Thank you for providing information regarding
> recreational uses on the Dry
> Fork Creek. This information will be extremely
> helpful in designating the
> appropriate water quality standards (WQS) for this
> stream. In the survey
> you sent, dated 08/18/2008, you mentioned the use of
> Dry Fork Creek for
> swimming, playing, wading and Canoeing. Could you
> provide more information
> regarding the locations where these recreational
> uses occur so they could
> be identified on a map? (e.g. crossroads, bridge
> crossing, closest town,
> section/township/range, etc.) For your assistance,
> a map of the
> classified segment where the Use Attainability
> Survey occurred and where
> recreational WQS are being reviewed can be found at
> the following link:
>
[http://www.dnr.mo.gov/internetmapviewer/makemap.map?lyrs=wt49_wt3_bo2_bo1_tr6_tr1_tr3_tr5_rd1_rn3_&iwis=1111111110&iext=query&qlyr=wt49&qstr=WBID%20IN%20\(2041\)](http://www.dnr.mo.gov/internetmapviewer/makemap.map?lyrs=wt49_wt3_bo2_bo1_tr6_tr1_tr3_tr5_rd1_rn3_&iwis=1111111110&iext=query&qlyr=wt49&qstr=WBID%20IN%20(2041))
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>
> Again, thanks very much for your help. You may have
> already heard, but the
> public comment period was extended to August 31st.
> If you know of anyone
> else who would like to provide comments, an on-line
> survey is available
> here:
> <http://www.surveys.dnr.mo.gov/wpp-stream-usage.htm>
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City: State: Zip Code:

Phone Number: () - ext. E-mail:

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Dear Mr. House,

Thank you very much for responding to my letter of concerns regarding the Dry Jack Creek.

Our Family owns the farms that border the Dry Jack Creek from the bridge on Hwy 19 south of Owensville to Bem, extending approximately 2-2 1/2 miles toward the east.

My Brother's farm is located on both sides (North & South) of the bridge. He has owned that property for approx. 35 years. He purchased the adjacent farm to the east from the Geo. Schaefferharter estate.

He has owned it approx. 5 years. My parents own the next farm to the east - The Arno Hutter farm. That farm was purchased in the late 1930's.

Since my 3 siblings and I grew up on the family farm

and ~~to~~ still own 140 acres on the north side of the creek, we all frequent the property and creek every year, several times a year. This all began in the late 1930's and continues to this day.

Our grand children will inherit these properties some day and I hope that they will be able to enjoy the Dry Fork as we all have.

In addition to our properties, we have always had wonderful neighbors to the east of the bridge and have shared many times fishing and swimming with our neighbors. (from home) all the way to 'Taylor Ford' where the Dry Fork meets the Bourbe.

Sincerely,
Mary Chapman



"Jim and Jan "
<jjcrook@fidnet.com>

07/15/2008 04:23 PM

To john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov

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Subject Dry Fork Creek

Dear Sir;

I have waded, swam and fished in Dry Fork Creek (primarily east of Highway 19) since I was a child and still do so at the age of 64. My children and grandchildren also wade and fish in the creek. It is hard to believe the state would consider turning such a beautiful resource into a sewer. I object in the strongest terms to the proposed exemption which would allow unregulated sewage dumping into Dry Fork Creek.

Sincerely,
James L. Crook
3840 Homeyer Rd
Owensville, MO 65066
573-437-2249

Recreational Use of Your Stream

Name: Carole Dotson
Address: 4033 Taylor Rd Owensville, Mo 65066
Phone Number: (573) 437-2757 E-mail address: carole@benchurch.com
Stream name: Dry Fork Creek WBID (if known): _____

What county is the stream in? Maries - Gasconade

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?
Yes ☒ No _____

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

Swimming Playing Fishing Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking Canoeing Trapping Other: _____

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No _____ If so, how? Doing normal water activities - as above

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

Hwy 19 Bridge to Mouth where meets Bourboise River
Hwy EE Bridge 4 Miles to Private property

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?
Yes ☒ No _____

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

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Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No _____ If so, how? Normal water activities

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

As Above -
Hwy EE to mouth - where meets Bourboise River

Signature Carole Dotson Date 7-17-08

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July 16,2008

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We live close to Dry Fork, in Gasconade county, and use it regularly for recreation, ie wading, fishing, canoeing, swimming, camping on gravel bars.

Also, in the areas of low water bridges, as in our location, when the creek floods and mud deposits are on the roads these materials are taken/transferred by vehicles onto garages and car ports. The same with dust particles.

Again, I am protesting exempting Dry Fork Creek in Maries and Gasconade Counties of Missouri to be taken off the Water Protection Program list.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Carole Dotson', written in black ink.

Carole Dotson

Recreational Use of Your Stream

Name: Sonnie Dotson

Address: 4033 Taylee Rd Owensville, Mo 65066

Phone Number: (573) 737-2757 E-mail address: _____

Stream name: Dry Fork Creek WBID (if known): _____

What county is the stream in? Maries, Gasconade

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?
Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking ☒ Canoeing Trapping Other: _____

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EE Bridge - Gas. Co. to the mouth or merge with Bourboise River

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Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Children playing - laughing having fun in the water. Enjoying Nature

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

EE Hwy - Gas. Co. Bridge to Bourboise River.

Signature Sonnie Dotson Date 7-17-08

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Sonnie Dotson

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"Nancy George "
<n.rae.george@gmail.com>

07/20/2008 08:28 PM

To john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov

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Subject Dry Fork Creek, possible exemption from bacteria standards

Dear Mr. Hoke,

After reading the July 9th, 2008, "Dry Fork Creek recommended for exemption from bacteria standards" article, it is with great alarm that we tell you we have used this creek frequently to wade fish, swim in, and for general water enjoyment since 1991. We have included our entire family and friends on numerous outings to enjoy the creek and now find that the government may no longer make it safe for useage. Should we be visiting our doctors to determine if our families are being made ill by the lack of acceptable water quality? The possible approval of unregulated sewage dumping along the Dry Fork Creek would be considered a critical issue for maintaining water quality in the counties of Maries and Gasconade and for thousands of river users. Surely our government departments must recognize that such approval would result in creating a major water quality problem which would then have to be corrected in the future. How much more waste of government regulations and funding do we need to tolerate? How many more times will the commissions only respond to the special interests groups, take the issues in hand, and not consider the general public good and the government for the people? Please advise us this commission approval will not be occurring on the Dry Fork Creek, or for that matter any creek, stream or river in the great "river" state of Missouri. Your response to this concern would be greatly appreciated.

Truly alarmed, please advise us.

Sincerely,

Nancy George and John Heitkamp

Phone Log
2007 UAA Public Comments

Date: 8/28/08

Time: 8:55 am

Caller: John Heitkamp

Contacted: Mike Kruse

Phone number: Mr. Heitkamp contacted DNR at (573) 522-4901

Water Body Name: Dry Fork Creek

WBID: 2039

UAA: None

County: Gasconade

Reason for contact:

Follow up to e-mail comments sent on 07/20/2008

Comments:

Mr. Heitkamp stated he uses the creek near Highway T and near the Bourbeuse River. He stated in the spring he fishes for Bass and he swims in the summer. He also stated his brother floats this area with a canoe and he sees lots of people fishing this same area.

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Dear Sir

WATER PROTECTION PROGRAM

You would not want your children
or Grand children playing, wading, boating
or swimming in water that is polluted &
the like on Dry Fork south of Owensville
Dry Fork runs through part of our farm
& when our grand children come out in
the summer or spring they always go
to the creek for enjoyment. Let's not
take this away from them
by letting the creek get polluted.

Please, let's keep Dry Fork Creek Clean
for our younger generation.
Maurice Creek and stream should all
be kept clean

Thanks

Joe Helburn
1745 Ben Church Rd
Owensville Mo 65066

July 21 - 08

From a Concerned Citizen,

I am writing to express my concern, about the Missouri creeks + streams, including Dry Fork Creek.

We have grandchildren who go swimming and fishing in the creek for the past 15 years and it seems like its of little concern to you about their health, or the cleanness of the water. I know you would not want your grandchildren to go swimming or fishing in water that would be polluted.

Don't let this happen to a clean water stream like ~~Dry~~^{Dry} Fork Creek.

Mabel Grellner
Owensville

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WATER PROTECTION PROGRAM

1605 Bem Church Rd
Owensville, MO 65066



Dear Sirs,

R1895

This letter is in regard to dumping sewage in Dry Fork Creek which runs through our property 1/4 of a mile then empties into the Bourbeuse affecting it too.

Our children & mom & dad's grandchildren swim in this creek every summer as well as catch crabs, investigate tadpoles, minnows & dragonflies along its shoreline. This dumping would put an end to our hot dog roast on the gravel bar. We purposefully keep our cattle out of this creek to avoid this type of pollution.

Our family fish & have been eating the fish we catch from dry fork. We hunt deer & turkey in the bottoms. This is our wildlifes water source. Would you want to eat wild game that have these toxins in them?

To check our cattle on the other side of the creek, we would be exposed to this bacteria laden water.

We also use Dry Fork to irrigate our acres of alfalfa. The cattle will eat the hay, we eat the cattle.

At one time the Soil & Water Dept. would not let us push gravel from one side of the creek to the other because it would kill too many minnows.

We strongly appose any type of dumping in Dry Fork & are disappointed the DNR would be involved with a proposal that considers dumping sewage, disinfected or not. Are they considering the effects on our wildlife,

plant habitat & humans? Becky Grellner
Rick Grellner Connie Grellner, Michelle Grellner



"Ron & Angi Grellner"
<rgrellner@charter.net>

07/17/2008 11:30 PM

To John.Hoke@dnr.mo.gov

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Subject Dry Fork Creek

I was shocked to read in the Gasconade County Republican Newspaper that the DNR is considering allowing Dry Fork Creek to be exempt from bacteria standards! My young boys **love** to play, swim, and fish in that creek on Grandpa's farm (south of Owensville off of Bem Church Road). We also regularly hold bonfires along the creek for family. I believe that youngsters learn to appreciate the environment by being a part of it and caring for it, yet you wish to allow people to contaminate it--destroying it. By allowing this to happen, I nor any other parent, can allow our children to grow up just being kids and playing in the creek – like we did. How can we expect our children to grow up to appreciate and take care of our environment if we as adults make decisions to the contrary? My wife, as an early childhood teacher, knows from experience that young children learn much more from our actions than they do from our words. What kind of a message are we sending them about caring for the world we live in when we perform such acts? I myself and my relatives regularly hunt near and fish in the creek, and have done so for 25 years. With the creek contaminated, what is to become of the wildlife in the area? Would it be safe to eat? One would not know until time has passed and it would most likely be too late. ***Please don't allow this to happen.***

Thank you for your attention to this matter,
Ron Grellner



Missouri Department of Natural Resources

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Dry Fork Creek runs through my father's farm, which is south of Owensville, off of Highway 19 on Bern Church Road.

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John Hoke/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR
08/18/2008 09:46 AM

To dsherburne@moenviron.org
cc Michael Kruse/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR@MODNR
bcc
Subject Fw: Stream Usage Survey Response

For Follow Up:  Urgent Priority

John Hoke
Environmental Specialist IV, TMDL Unit Chief
Water Quality Monitoring & Assessment Section
Missouri Department of Natural Resources
Phone: (573) 526-1446 Fax: (573) 522-9920

----- Forwarded by John Hoke/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR on 08/18/2008 09:46 AM -----



dnrweb@mail.mo.gov
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To "John Hoke" <john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov>
cc
Subject Stream Usage Survey Response

Response from Quask form :

wpp-stream-usage

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StreamName:	DRY FORK CREEK
StreamCounty1:	Gasconade
FamilyRecreationYesNo:	Yes
FamilyRecreationActivity:	Swimming
FamilySecondaryActivity:	Fishing
StreamCity:	Rosebud
OthersRecreationYesNo:	Yes
StreamUseComments:	I HAVE GAINED ACCESS TWO DIFFERANT WAYS.1)GOING UPRIVER ON THE BOURBOUESE

	RIVER FROM THE TEA ACCESS TO THE MOUTH OF DRY CREEK .2)ACCESSED AT THE LOW WATER CROSSING ON IST GRAVEL ROAD UPSTREAM FROM THE MOUTH OF DRY CREEK AND THE BOURBOUES RIVER.I BELIEVE THIS IS COUNTY RD 528 OR 529 BUT AM NOT COMPLETELY SURE.I KNOW IT IS ACCESSED OFF OF HWY T JUST NORTH OF THE TEA CONSERVATION ACCESS ON THE BOURBOUES RIVER
OthersRecreationA ctivity:	Swimming
FamilyRecreationU sePerYear:	2
FamilySecondaryU sePerYear:	2
FamilyChildrenUse PerYear:	2
OthersRecreation UsePerYear:	10
OthersSecondaryA ctivity:	Fishing
OthersSecondaryU sePerYear:	10
OthersChildrenUse PerYear:	10
AdditionalComme nts:	WHY FOR ANY REASON WOULD THE STATE RELAX WATER QUALITY STANDARDS FOR THIS STREAM? WHO IN THE HECK IS REQUESTING THESE CHANGES.
ContactFirstName:	JOHN
ContactLastName:	HEITKAMP
ContactAddress1:	662 PATTINGTON LN
ContactCity:	UNION
ContactState:	Missouri

ContactZipCode:	63084
ContactPhoneArea Code:	314
ContactPhonePrefi x:	333
ContactPhoneNum ber:	6140
ContactPhoneExt:	140
ContactEmail:	heitkampj@yahoo.com

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14. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for any of the following secondary contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

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WHY FOR ANY REASON WOULD THE STATE RELAX WATER QUALITY STANDARDS FOR THIS STREAM?
WHO IN THE HECK IS REQUESTING THESE CHANGES.

18. In the event the department has questions, please provide the following contact information:

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Field Data Sheets for Recreational Use Stream Surveys

Data Sheet D - Recreational Use Interview

(must be completed for each interview)

I. Introduction

Stream Name and WBID: Dry Fork Creek 2039

Date & Time (include AM or PM): 10:45 am

Interviewed: ☐ In person ☒ By phone ☐ By mail

(NOTE: If you are an Interviewee filling out this form to mail back to DNR, proceed to Question #1.)

Interviewee selected because (e.g., house next to stream; standing by stream, etc.):

Interviewee called during public comment period for 2007 UHAs.
Concerned about UHA # 710 for WBID 2041

Interviewer introduction to Interviewee: "My name is _____, I work for _____ (name of your employer) _____, and I am collecting information on how people use _____ (name of the stream) _____."

ASK:

1.) Are you willing to respond to a survey about this stream? (It will just take a few minutes.)

☒ Yes ☐ No If yes, list contact information for the interviewee below:

Legal name: Harvey Hennington

Current mailing address: PO Box 2025 Owensville, MO 65066

Daytime phone number: (573) 437-4751

E-mail address (optional): _____

Home address:
3986 Hwy EE
Owensville, MO
65066

2.a.) Do you live in this area? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how many years? Not too long. Recently purchased property

2.b.) If you don't live in this area, are you still familiar with this stream? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how many years? _____

If no, thank the individual for taking the time to talk to you and conclude the interview.

3.) Are you familiar with this particular stretch of the stream? (show them the map, pointing out local landmarks such as roads, bridges, property lines) ☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, proceed to "II. Personal Use?".

If no, proceed to Section V.

II. Personal Use?

1.) Have you or your family personally used the stream for recreation since November 28, 1975? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, proceed to #3.

If no, proceed to, and complete #2.

2.a.) If no, list reasons stream not used. _____

b.) From here proceed to "III. Witnessed Use?".

3.) How do you use the stream?

Whole Body Contact Recreation (WBCR)☒ Swimming ☐ Tubing ☐ Snorkeling/Skin Diving ☐ Water Skiing

If Interviewee (or family) used the stream for WBCR since Nov. 28, 1975, ask:

4.a.) When (e.g., year(s)?; season?; only after a rain?) and how often (times/year)? Son swims in stream all summer and spring. Hunting and fishing mostly in the spring.

4.b.) Where, exactly? Describe specific location and mark on the map (See map requirements in the protocol). Highway EE crossing in Gasconade County south of Owensville.

Secondary Contact Recreation (SCR)☒ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Boating ☐ Trapping ☐ Other:

If Interviewee (or family) used the stream for SCR since Nov. 28, 1975, ask:

4.c.) When (e.g., year(s)?; season?; only after a rain?) and how often (times/year)? mostly in spring. Son wades in water in spring and summer. Brother also fishes.

4.d.) Where, exactly? Describe specific location and mark on the map (See map requirements in the protocol). Highway EE crossing in Gasconade County south of Owensville.

4.e.) Which of these times and places (if any) did children wade or play? Son swims in stream all summer, sometimes spring. Son also wades.

III. Witnessed Use?

1.) Have you observed others using this stream for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, proceed to #2.

If no, proceed to, "IV. Anecdotal Use?"

2.) What kinds of uses have you witnessed?

Whole Body Contact Recreation (WBCR)☐ Swimming ☐ Tubing ☐ Snorkeling/Skin Diving ☐ Water Skiing

If Interviewee witnessed WBCR use since Nov. 28, 1975, ask the following questions:

2.a.) When (e.g., year(s)?; season?; only after a rain?) and how often (times/year)?

2.b.) Where, exactly? Describe specific location and mark on the map (See map requirements in the protocol).

Secondary Contact Recreation (SCR)

☒ Fishing ☐ Wading ☒ Boating ☐ Trapping ☐ Other:

If interviewee witnessed SCR use since Nov. 28, 1975, ask the following questions:

2.c.) When (e.g., year(s)?; season?; only after a rain?) and how often (times/year)? Throughout the Spring and Summer.

2.d.) Where, exactly? Describe specific location and mark on the map (See map requirements in the protocol). Highway 66 crossing in Gasconade County in Owensville, MO for 1/2 mile.

2.e.) Which of these times and places (if any) did you specifically witness children wading or playing? None

IV. Anecdotal Use?

1.) Have you heard about anyone using this stream since Nov. 28, 1975 for recreation – not seen or done yourself, but just heard about it? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, proceed to #2.

If no, thank the individual for taking the time to talk to you and conclude the interview.

2.) What kind of uses have you heard about?

Whole Body Contact Recreation (WBCR)

☒ Swimming ☐ Tubing ☐ Snorkeling/Skin Diving ☐ Water Skiing

If interviewee heard of WBCR use since Nov. 28, 1975, ask the following questions:

2.a.) When did these uses take place (e.g., year(s)?; season?; only after a rain?) and how often (times/year)? Through the Summer.

2.b.) Where, exactly? Describe specific location and mark on the map (See map requirements in the protocol). All through the stream

Secondary Contact Recreation (SCR)

☒ Fishing ☐ Wading ☐ Boating ☐ Trapping ☐ Other:

If Interviewee heard of SCR use since Nov. 28, 1975, ask the following questions:

2.c.) When did these uses take place (e.g., year(s)?; season?; only after a rain?) and how often (times/year)?

Spring

2.d.) Where, exactly? Describe specific location and mark on the map (See map requirements in the protocol).

Up and down the stream.

2.e.) Which of these times and places (if any) did you hear specifically of children wading or playing?

V. Others to Contact?

Can you recommend someone else we could contact that knows the stream? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, that person's contact info (name, address, phone, directions?)

If no, thank the individual for taking the time to talk to you and conclude the interview.

VI. Additional Comments

From the Interviewee:

Concerned about drinking water and use of water to water property.

From the Interviewer:

Neighbor to Boy Ron Wainright who also submitted comments. Did not like DNR use survey form, so felt calling was more appropriate.

VII. Information on Interviewer

Has interviewer been trained by Missouri DNR to conduct UAA Interviews?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how? (check all that apply):

☐ Pre-Assessment Meeting

☐ Workshop

☐ On-line training seminar

☒ Other. If "Other," list:

DNR employee, TMDL unit.

Interviewer's Signature:

Michael Kruse

Interviewer's Name, Printed:

Michael Kruse

Employer (where applicable):

Mo DNR

Interviewer's Phone No.: (573) 522-4901

E-mail: michael.kruse@dnr.mo.gov



"Todd Hinch"
<tjhinch@cvalley.net>
08/28/2008 12:01 PM

To michael.kruse@dnr.mo.gov
cc
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Subject Dry Fork Creek

Mr. Kruse

My family has property that borders the Dry Fork Creek at HWY EE out of Owensville MO. We use that creek to swim and fish in and canoe and also horses drink from and cross the creek on trail rides. To even think of letting waste water (or anything) be dumped into that creek is outrageous and unfair to those of us who use it.

Julie Hinch



Stream Usage Survey

1. Stream Name (Please enter the full name)
2. County (Please enter the county or counties where the use occurs) Gasconade
3. City or Town (Please enter city or town closest to the area of use) Owensville

4. Where do you use the stream? If use occurs in multiple locations, please list them all below. (Please be specific so the location can be identified on a map, e.g., 9th Street Bridge, Anytown City Park, Quarter Section-Township-Range, Latitude/Longitude, etc).

Our property, on the east side of EE begins at the Dry Fork Bridge and runs approximately 3/4 mile on the south side of the creek.

5. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?

☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #6 ☐ No If No, go to Question #11

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I do not like the idea of dumping treated or untreated waste water into a natural stream; especially the Dry Fork which is used for recreation.

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This is a great stream to catch perch and small bass. The water is clean and pretty to swim in. It would be a shame to not be able to use it because it is full of waste water. And if we could, it would be gross, and people would be exposed to harmful bacteria. This would be such a shame to destroy such a beautiful creek.

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Recreational Use of Your Stream

Name: PATRICIA HOHN
Address: 1879 KOENIG RD
Phone Number: (573) 437-5497 E-mail address: hohnley@fidnet.com
Stream name: DRY FORK CREEK WBID (if known): _____

What county is the stream in? GASCONADE

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?
Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking ☒ Canoeing Trapping Other: _____

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Swimming

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

Between Hwy EE to Hwy 19

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?
Yes ☒ No ☐

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking ☒ Canoeing Trapping Other: _____

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Swimming

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

Between Hwy EE and Hwy 19

Signature Patricia Hohn Date 7/17/08

Mail to: John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102,
or Fax: 573-522-9920, or Email: john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov

Please use the back if you need more space to answer questions or to provide additional information or maps

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WATER PROTECTION

7-17-08

Dear Sirs:

I am writing to plead with you to reconsider the exemption of Dry Fork Creek from bacteria standards. We have owned land on the Dry Fork for 26 years and our kids and their friends have fished and swam in the creek many times. It is a beautiful creek and deserves better treatment than allowing raw sewage to contaminate it. It would be a disgrace to let this happen. Please reconsider and stop this terrible idea.

Yours Truly,
Steve Hollander
& The Hollander Family

Dry Fork Creek (2041)



"Dorothy Jahnsen "
<godena@fidnet.com>

07/17/2008 10:05 PM

To john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov

cc

bcc

Subject Dry Fork Creek

Dear Sir, We live on a farm through which the Dry Fork runs. My grandson plays in this creek. Our well...the only water source for our home, is not very far from the creek. I beg you to not allow any waste or refuse or toxins to be dumped in our creek. Sincerely, Dorothy Jahnsen
4036 Loeb Rd. Bland, MO 65014 Thank you for your consideration and your time.



"Dorothy Jahnsen "
<godena@fidnet.com>

08/15/2008 05:16 PM

To "Michael Kruse" <michael.kruse@dnr.mo.gov>

cc

bcc

Subject Re: Comment on Dry Fork Creek

On Thu, Aug 14, 2008 at 2:51 PM, Michael Kruse <michael.kruse@dnr.mo.gov> wrote:

Ms. Jahnsen,

Thank you for providing information regarding recreational uses on the Dry Fork Creek . This information will be extremely helpful in designating the appropriate water quality standards for this stream . In the e-mail you sent, dated 07/17/2008, you stated your grandson plays in this creek . Could you provide more information regarding the type of play (swimming, wading, catch frogs, fishing etc.) your grandson uses the creek for, as well as the locations these recreational uses occur so they can be identified on a map (e.g. crossroads, bridge crossing, closest town, section/township/range, etc.)? For your assistance, a map of the classified segment where the Use Attainability Survey occurred can be found at the following link:

[http://www.dnr.mo.gov/internetmapviewer/makemap.map?lyrs=wt49_wt3_bo2_bo1_tr6_tr1_tr3_tr5_rd1_rn3_&ivis=111111110&iext=query&qlyr=wt49&qstr=WBID%20IN%20\(2041\)](http://www.dnr.mo.gov/internetmapviewer/makemap.map?lyrs=wt49_wt3_bo2_bo1_tr6_tr1_tr3_tr5_rd1_rn3_&ivis=111111110&iext=query&qlyr=wt49&qstr=WBID%20IN%20(2041))

Again, thanks very much for your assistance. The public comment period was extended to August 31st. If you know of anyone else who would like to provide comments , an on-line survey is available here:

<http://www.surveys.dnr.mo.gov/wpp-stream-usage.htm>

Regards,

Mike Kruse
Environmental Specialist
Div. of Env. Quality/Water Protection Program
Mo. Dept. of Natural Resources, Jefferson City
Ph: (573) 522-4901 FAX: (573) 522-9920
michael.kruse@dnr.mo.gov

I can't see well enough to decipher your map, so I'm putting our property description: sec 25, twp 41, rng 06; 16-7, 0-25-0-00-005.000 N1/2 SE, PT NE SWS1/2 SE, S PT S1/2 NE: AC-91.40

My grandson does wading, fishing , etc. in the creek. Thank you for listening. Mrs. John Jahnsen, 4036 Loeb Rd. Bland, MO 65014



Missouri Department of Natural Resources

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Dry Fork Creek - John Hoke/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR



"margie and mike "
<omamarge@fidnet.com>

07/18/2008 03:02 PM

To cleanwater@dnr.mo.gov, john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov,
wardpub@fidnet.com

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Subject Dry Fork Creek

To: The Missouri Department of Natural Resources

Dear John:

Dry Fork Creek runs through our property at the Krause Road slab in Gasconade County. We purchased our farm in 1993 and then later purchased the adjoining 8 acres to have the beautiful Dry Fork Creek frontage. We use the Creek for swimming, wading and fishing all spring and summer almost every weekend and many times during the week.

It is also used by numerous people from around here and from the City of Owensville. Many of whom remark they have been coming here to Dry Fork since they were children and now bring their children to swim, picnic, fish and enjoy the outdoors. It is one of very few free places where a family can come and have fun.

We also get requests and give permission to use the Dry Fork area from churches, individual families and horseback riding groups for cook-outs, fishing, swimming and wading.

As you can see, Dry Fork Creek is a very popular area for water recreation. It is a beautiful Creek with a constant flow of water and deep fishing and swimming holes.

Please protect Dry Fork Creek and keep the water clean under the "Clean Water Act."

Sincerely,

Ronald & Janice Johnson
4247 Hwy. EE
Owensville, Mo. 65066



"Tina Keeney "
<tskeeney@fidnet.com>

07/11/2008 01:45 PM

To john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov

cc

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Subject Dry Fork Creek Exemption

Mr. John Hoke,

I am writing to you in regards to the proposed exemption of Dry Fork Creek from bacteria standards.

My family & I have property on, and live very close to, the Dry Fork Creek at Blocksbranch Rd., in Gasconade County. We have for many years used this stream for fishing, wading, swimming, canoeing, trapping, & having fun. We plan to continue doing this for many years to come. My kids have also camped on the stream this very summer and enjoyed all of those activities I have just listed above. My nieces and nephews like to go wading and splash around in the stream trying to catch tadpoles and minnows. I don't want to put them in jeopardy of catching something else; like a fever, ear infections, (which young children are very prone to getting), dysentery or any other illness that could be introduced into the stream by allowing unregulated sewage dumping.

There are lots of people who use this stream and others for the same purposes we do. Just yesterday morning a father and his two sons were fishing and wading in the stream. Every weekend there are families just like mine we come to this stream to enjoy themselves on, or in, the water.

Bringing home a healthy catch of fish to fry up for supper is great, but taking the chance on bringing home fish that may be contaminated and unhealthy to eat from bacteria is not.

The damage that could occur to any animal living in or near the water is of great importance, especially if that damage could be potentially harmful to anyone who might consume or come into contact with them.

Let's keep the animals healthy, the fish healthy, the plant life and environment healthy, because in the end, keeping all of this healthy will keep the people healthy, too.

I also work with a company that lists water sanitation and non-contamination as a very high priority.

You may know it, Tomcat Consultants of Rosebud, MO.; Clyde H. Zelch, President. We have discussed this issue and he has expressed deep concerns over the same issues that I have. I would think that when someone with years of experience in the water industry becomes more than a little concerned about this exemption becoming a reality, it would raise some red flags with you. I can only hope that others are letting you know how they feel concerning this issue on our area streams, because this is of great important to many people.

Take our concerns, our wishes, our way of life, and our opinions on this issue into consideration.

Do not allow the unregulated dumping of sewage into the Dry Fork Creek, or indeed, into any creeks that people use and enjoy. Once the damage has been done, it may never be reversible.

Respectfully,

Tina Keeney, Concerned Creek User
& Office Manager, Tomcat Consultants



"Keller, Robin"
<RKeller@MAIL.CRMC.ORG
>

07/16/2008 08:11 AM

To john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov
cc
bcc
Subject Dry Fork Creek

Mr. Hoke: WE live near the Dry Fork Creek in Gasconade County. Our children have used the Dry Fork for years to swim, fish and float. In fact, our son and his friends are planning a camping, fishing weekend there this weekend. We hope that this creek does not become a sewer.

Thank you

Robin Keller



"Keller, Robin"
<RKeller@MAIL.CRMC.ORG
>

08/15/2008 10:10 AM

To "Michael Kruse" <michael.kruse@dnr.mo.gov>

cc

bcc

Subject RE: Comment for Dry Fork Creek

For Follow Up:  Urgent Priority

Mr Kruse: I could not understand the map maker, however I will tell you exactly where it is, on the Dry Fork , Between Sate hwy 19 and Tayloe Rd in Southern Gasconade County and actually we sometimes go all the way down to the Bourbeouse River. Thanks! Robin Keller

-----Original Message-----

From: Michael Kruse [mailto:michael.kruse@dnr.mo.gov]

Sent: Thursday, August 14, 2008 3:47 PM

To: Keller, Robin

Subject: Comment for Dry Fork Creek

Dear Robin Keller,

Thank you for providing information regarding recreational uses on the Dry Fork Creek . This information will be extremely helpful in designating the appropriate water quality standards (WQS) for this stream. In the e-mail you sent, dated 07/16/2008, you mentioned the use of Dry Fork Creek for fishing, swimming, and floating in by members of your family . Could you provide more information regarding the locations where these recreational uses occur so they can be identified on a map (e.g. crossroads, bridge crossing, closest town, section/township/range, etc.)? For your assistance, a map of the classified segment where the Use Attainability Survey occurred and where recreational WQS are being reviewed can be found at the following link:

[http://www.dnr.mo.gov/internetmapviewer/makemap.map?lyrs=wt49_wt3_bo2_bo1_tr6_tr1_tr3_tr5_rd1_rn3_&ivis=111111110&iext=query&qlyr=wt49&qstr=WBID%20IN%20\(2041\)](http://www.dnr.mo.gov/internetmapviewer/makemap.map?lyrs=wt49_wt3_bo2_bo1_tr6_tr1_tr3_tr5_rd1_rn3_&ivis=111111110&iext=query&qlyr=wt49&qstr=WBID%20IN%20(2041))

Again, thanks very much for your help. The public comment period was extended to August 31st. If you know of anyone else who would like to provide comments, an on-line survey is available here: <http://www.surveys.dnr.mo.gov/wpp-stream-usage.htm>

Thank you,

Mike Kruse
Environmental Specialist
Div. of Env. Quality/Water Protection Program
Mo. Dept. of Natural Resources, Jefferson City
Ph: (573) 522-4901 FAX: (573) 522-9920
michael.kruse@dnr.mo.gov



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Dear Sirs,

I am very opposed to have any type of sewage dumped in Dry Fork Creek.

My grandchildren fish in the deeper holes & supply me with fish.

My grandson hunts turkey & deer in the creek bottoms. And supplies me with meat.

My son-in-law goes through this creek to check his cattle.

This decision will effect the smallest of water life & change everything that feeds on it & so on.

Dry Fork creek is used by many people as recreation for good clean fun."

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JUL 18 2008

WATER PROTECTION PROGRAM

Dolores Kalkmeyer
2184 Hwy 50
Rosebud, MO 63091



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Recreational Use of Your Stream

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Name: CARL LANDWEHR

Address: 4025 Hwy 19, OWENSVILLE, MO

Phone Number: (573) 437-2102 E-mail address: _____

Stream name: Dry Fork CREEK WBID (if known): _____

What county is the stream in? Gasconade

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

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Playing

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Between EE bridge to Taylor Ford - where Dry Fork meets bombas

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Signature Carl D. Landwehr Date 7/19/08

Mail to: John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102,
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Recreational Use of Your Stream

Name: Tim Ley

Address: 1879 Koenig Rd Owensville Mo 65066

Phone Number: (314) 541-2274 E-mail address: timley@wustl.edu

Stream name: Dry Fork Creek WBID (if known): _____

What county is the stream in? Gasconade

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

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Hwy EE bridge to Hwy 19 bridge
1.5 miles west of Hwy 19 bridge

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Same

Signature Tim Ley Date 7/17/08

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Linda <bella2@fidnet.com>

07/17/2008 09:32 AM

To john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov

cc

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Subject Conserved Reader

I just read about the proposed contamination of our Missouri's fresh water. I've lived here in Gasconade County for over twenty years & have taken my children to Dry Fork Creek many times & now my grandchildren. I think about all the people who water there cattle along this creek, all the fish my children & grandchildren have caught, all the wild life that drink from this body of water & can't believe that these people would even consider such a thing. Dry Fork Creek also empties into the Bourbouse River that is even closer to my house. We have also visited there & swan, caught fish & I know my children have shot deer that drink from there. You know even when you tell these people that they have to treat the waste that they dump into the water that sooner or later it won't be treated. Therefore it tells me that they do not care if people, children or animals get sick or even die from this contamination. I think this is a really bad move & none of our natural bodies of water should be contaminated. Our fresh water is one of the last free things we can do with our children that they really enjoy & it's going to be taken away from allot of people. Put your head back where it belongs.



Linda <bella2@fidnet.com>

08/25/2008 07:32 PM

To michael.kruse@dnr.mo.gov

cc

bcc

Subject Dry Fork Creek Information

Hello Mr. Kruse, I appreciate your response to my letter. We live 11 miles from Owensville on Hwy. EE. It's in Gasconade Co. The Dry Fork Creek is about 5 miles from Owensville on Hwy, EE heading South. The closest road is Farris Rd. & Hecker Rd. just before Dry Fork Creek & the closest road after Dry Fork Creek is Glaser Hollow Rd. I always see deer & other animals on this road, there is a pig farmer that also uses the creek to water his livestock I'm sure. I surely hate to see this nice creek be contaminated unnecessarily. Thank you again & I hope this information will help you. Linda

Recreational Use of Your Stream

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Name: HERBERT L. LINDROTH

Address: 1418 HWY. CC BLAND, MO. 65014

Phone Number: (573) 437-5007 E-mail address: _____

Stream name: DRY FORK WBID (if known): 2041

What county is the stream in? GASCONADE

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?
Yes X No _____

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

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- APPROX. 300 YDS EAST (DOWNSTREAM) OF REPUBLICAN ROAD CROSSING SCAB.
- RIGHT AT KRAUSE ROAD CROSSING SCAB.

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SAME AS ABOVE.

Signature Herbert L. Lindroth Date July 13, 2008

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MY PROPERTY BORDERS APPROX. $\frac{3}{4}$ MILE OF THE DRY FORK. THERE ARE ONLY A FEW AREAS DEEP ENOUGH FOR SWIMMING, BUT WE DO USE MOST OF THE $\frac{3}{4}$ MILE FOR FISHING OR PLAYING AROUND. IT IS ALSO A GREAT AREA FOR WATCHING WILDLIFE SUCH AS DEER, TURKEY, RACCOON, BEAVER, HERONS, AND AN OCCASIONAL EAGLE.

I HAVE OWNED THIS LAND SINCE 1978. THE STREAM HAS BEEN USED BY MY WIFE AND ME AND 4 CHILDREN. IT IS NOW USED BY AN ADDITIONAL 7 GRANDCHILDREN. WE ALSO HAVE FRIENDS FROM TOWN WHO LIKE TO COME OUT FOR FISHING AND JUST PLAYING IN THE WATER.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, THE STREAM DOES COME OUT OF ITS BANKS AND FLOODS MY NEARBY HAYFIELD — USUALLY 1-3 TIMES PER YEAR.

Herb Lindroth

Recreational Use of Your Stream

Name: Richard L. Lindroth, Ph.D.

Address: 1015 Edgehill Drive, Madison, WI 53705

Phone Number: (608) 231-1106 **E-mail address:** Lindroth@tds.net

Stream name: Dry Fork of the Gasconade (no. 2041) **WBID (if known):** _____

What county is the stream in? Gasconade

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes X No _____

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

XSwimming XPlaying XFishing XWading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
XTubing Kayaking Canoeing Trapping Other: _____

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes X No _____ If so, how? In the course of the above activities.

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

SE of Bland, MO. My parents own much of the stream frontage from Republican Rd. to Kruse Rd. They and my family (including children) have used the stream extensively for fishing, tubing, wading, etc. for 30 years.

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes X No _____

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

XSwimming XPlaying XFishing XWading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
XTubing Kayaking XCanoeing Trapping Other: _____

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes X No _____ If so, how? as above

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

As above.

Signature Richard L. Lindroth Date July 12, 2008

Mail to: John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102,
or **Fax:** 573-522-9920, or **Email:** john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov



Stream Usage Survey

1. Stream Name (Please enter the full name)
2. County (Please enter the county or counties where the use occurs) Gasconade
3. City or Town (Please enter city or town closest to the area of use) Bland

4. Where do you use the stream? If use occurs in multiple locations, please list them all below. (Please be specific so the location can be identified on a map, e.g., 9th Street Bridge, Anytown City Park, Quarter Section-Township-Range, Latitude/Longitude, etc).

I don't have the map. I use the creek off of Highway EE.

5. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?

☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #6 ☐ No If No, go to Question #11

6. Have you or your family personally used the stream at this site(s) for any of the following whole body contact recreation activities? Please select all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Tubing ☐ Snorkling/Skin Diving ☐ Water Skiing

7. How many times per year have you or your family personally used the stream for these activities?

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☒ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Boating ☐ Trapping

9. How many times per year have you or your family personally used the stream for these activities?

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10. How many of these times did children wade or play in the stream?

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11. Have you observed or heard of others using the stream at this site(s) for recreation since Nov. 28, 1975?

☒ Yes If Yes, go to Question #12 ☐ No If No, go to Question #17

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13. How many times per year have you observed or heard of others using the stream for these activities?

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☒ Fishing ☒ Wading ☐ Boating ☐ Trapping

15. How many times per year have you observed or heard of others using the stream for these activities?

30

16. How many of these times did you observe or hear of children wading or playing in the stream?

50

17. Do you have additional comments you would like to provide the department regarding this stream?

A lot of families use this creek for their families enjoyment year round

18. In the event the department has questions, please provide the following contact information:

First Name: Jodie Last Name: Long
Address 1: 1151 Highway Y Address 2:
City: Bland State: Missouri Zip Code: 65014 -
Phone Number: (573) 437 - 6330 ext. E-mail:

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To Department of Natural Resources
For Mike Kruse, Environmental Specialist

Mr. Kruse, Thank you for reading my letter of interest to The Dry Fork Creek in Marie's Co. I started fishing this creek in 1980, I worked construction work, It took me all over the back Hills, I came to a low water bridge, I stopped and made one cast into a small pool & "Bam!" a 8'6" Bass, I was hooked on fishing The Dry Fork Creek. I outlined in pink. All water I've waded & fished, from Hy. 2 to past Hy. 13 out of Bland Mo. I don't know County Rd. # I know I waste close to Owensville. I walked down the creek off of Hy 19, About a mile
over

The water got too Deep, I think It goes
into the Barbus River. Any^{way} No Fish. Down
past Hwy 19 Bridge.

I got a lot of friends from St. Louis that
come to fish this little creek, They All love it.
I know the City of Belle & Blain & got
problems with their sewer, Lagoon's they
Don't have the Money To fix it. Somthing
is going to change some or later.
Letting the lagoon water into the creek
is not the answer.

Well, if I can help let me know.

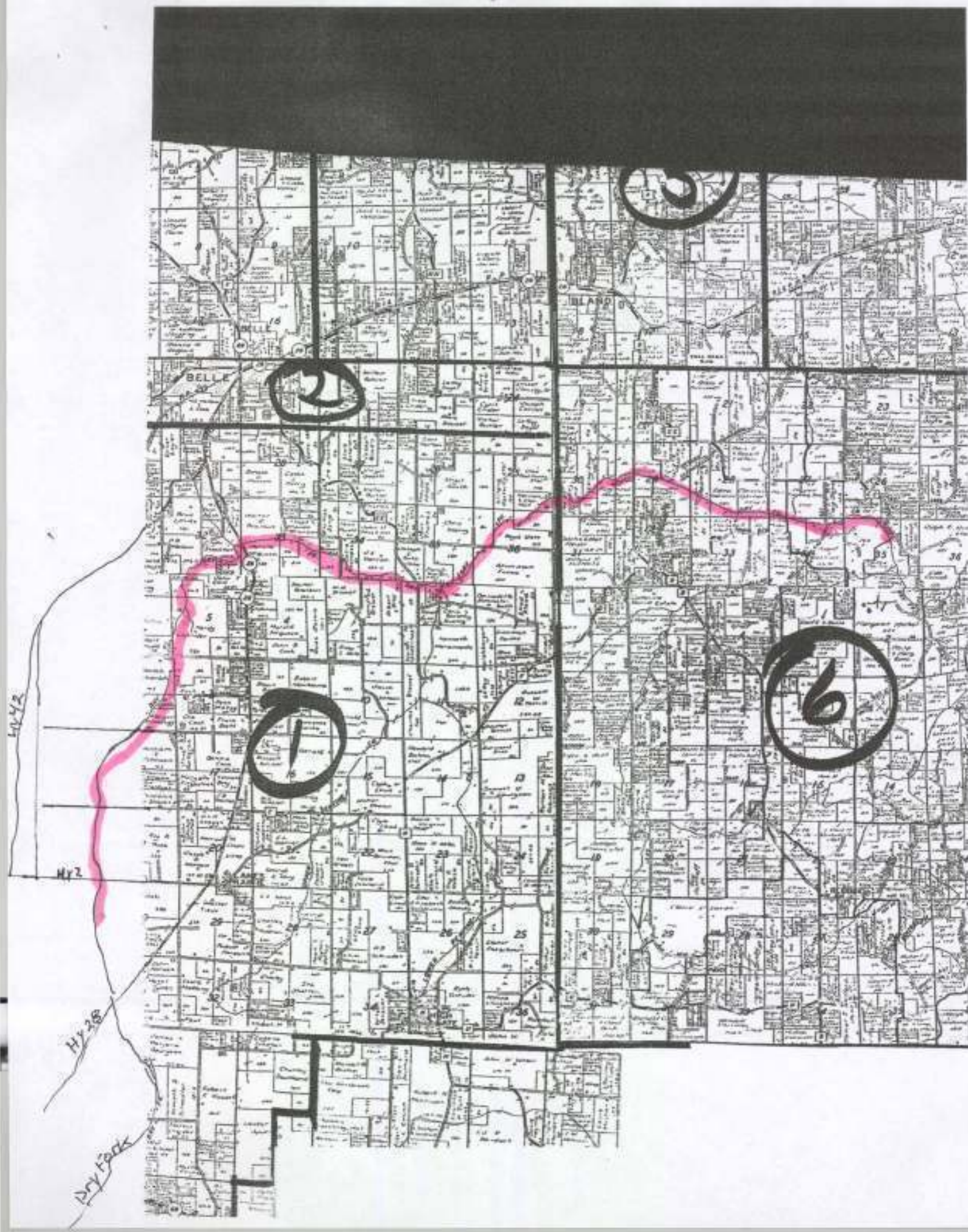
Thank

Teri McEnock

P.O. Box 823

Belle Mo. 65013

Ph # 1-573-859-3598



To UAA Coordinator
Water Protection Program
P.O. Box 176
Jefferson City Mo. 65102

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Comments on Dry Fork Creek

Seen in Belle Banner (maries Co. Mo.)

I Timothy D. McCormack propose
this act to lift restrictions of sewage and
other contaminate's to be released
in to the Dry Fork Creek.

Over half my life I've spent fishing
this creek, my children & grandchildren
swim & fish this beautiful Ozark
stream. My friends from all over visit
to fish The Dry Fork creek. It's been
my Gem of the Ozarks. Our secret fishing
stream. Miles & miles of trophy large &
small mouth bass I have taken and
had for supper. I've fished only 7/10 miles
of this stream I intend to fish it all
some day.

Please condemn this move. Save
our creek Please.

Thank You

Tim McCormack
P.O. Box 823
Belle Mo. 65013

Recreational Use of Your Stream

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Name: Catherin Miller
Address: 4033 Hwy 19 Owensville, Mo. 65066
Phone Number: (573) 437-2068 E-mail address: _____
Stream name: DY Fork WBID (if known): 2041

What county is the stream in? Gasconade

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?
Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
☒ Tubing Kayaking ☒ Canoeing ☒ Trapping Other: _____

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Swimming
wading Fishing Tubing

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

From the Republican Rd to the Bourbense River.

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?
Yes ☒ No ☐

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking ☒ Canoeing Trapping Other: _____

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Swimming Playing
Fishing wading

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

From Republic Rd to the Bourbense River
12 to 15 miles

Signature Catherin R. Miller Date 7-16-08

Mail to: John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102,
or Fax: 573-522-9920, or Email: john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov

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Dear Mr. Hoke:

I am a Registered Nurse for the Gasconade County Health Department. This new law concerns me a great deal as I know what types of illness can occur when a person ingests contaminated water. People will still swim/play in the Dry Fork as they have for so many years in the past. This will put our community at risk of disease if this recommendation is approved.

I have lived on the Dry Fork for the past 13 years. My family and I love to swim/float/fish in the creek. We also have many friends who love to do the same. This is a fun and inexpensive activity that families can do close to home. With the price of gas and food these days, people will be spending more time closer to home and it would be a shame for this to be taken away from them.

Our community would greatly appreciate DNR's rethinking this decision for the safety and pleasure of our community.

Sincerely,



Pamela Miller, RN

Recreational Use of Your Stream

Name: Pam Miller
 Address: 1844 Hecker Road Owensville, MO 65066
 Phone Number: (573) 437-5542 E-mail address: pamela@fidelnet.com
 Stream name: Dry Fork Creek WBID (if known): _____
 What county is the stream in? Gasconade

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?
 Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
☒ Tubing ☒ Kayaking ☒ Canoeing Trapping Other: _____

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Swimming / Floating

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.
Hwy 19 South from Owensville at the Dry Fork Bridge. My father - I own owns the property on the (R) side and we play in the creek all summer long.

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?
 Yes ☒ No ☐

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
 Tubing Kayaking ☒ Canoeing Trapping Other: _____

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Swimming / Floating

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

Same as above.

Signature Pamela Miller Date 7/11/08

Mail to: John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102,
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Recreational Use of Your Stream

Name: Wayne Miller

Address: 4033 Hwy 19, Owensville, MO 65066

Phone Number: (573) 437-2068 E-mail address: _____

Stream name: DRY Fork WBID (if known): 2041

What county is the stream in? Gasconade

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes ☒ No ☐

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
☒ Tubing Kayaking ☒ Canoeing ☒ Trapping Other: _____

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Swimming

Playing Fishing Tubing

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

From the Republican Rd. to the
Bourbense River. we live and play on the creek.

Do you know of others using this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?

Yes ☒ No ☐

How have others, to your knowledge, used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

☒ Swimming ☒ Playing ☒ Fishing ☒ Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking ☒ Canoeing Trapping Other: _____

Do you know of others ever using the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes ☒ No ☐ If so, how? Swimming Playing

Fishing wading

What stretches of the stream did they use? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

From the Republican Rd. to the
Bourbense River, About 15 miles.

Signature Wayne Miller Date 7-15-08

Mail to: John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102,
or Fax: 573-522-9920, or Email: john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov

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Mark Moeller
112 W Fairview Ave.
Owensville, MO 65066-2576



7-10-08

BEIJING 08

Dear sir,
It sounds fine to (2041)
exempt Dry Fork Creek from
bacteria standards. I see very
few people using it for
swimming.

I would hate to see
the local ranchers being
denied the right to ~~the~~ water
their cattle out of it.

Sincerely
Mark Moeller

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"Michael R. Mundwiller"
<mrmlaw@fidnet.com>

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To john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov

cc Edsherburne@moenviron.org

bcc

Subject Dry Fork Creek/Gasconade county

My family swims and fishes in the Dry Fork quit often. We have many favorite fishing holes, one of them between Hwy. EE and Republican Road. We have also fished the entire length of the Republican Road to Hwy. #19 in Gasconade County. That is a very long stretch of creek. We also fish the short stretch above the confluence of Dry Fork Creek with the Bourboise River. Our swimming holes are at the Krause Road and also on the Lenauer property south of Hecker Road.

We eat the fish that we catch. My children and I and everyone we know are shocked that the DNR, rather than taking care of our streams, foster their degradation.

We intend to continue to fish and swim in the stream as long as you keep it protected.

Mundwiller, Michael

Attorney at Law

Owensville, Mo

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To whom it may concern,

I have been a resident of Lasconade County since 1972 and have lived on the dry fork for this entire time. I use this creek for many activities, swimming, trapping, kayaking & fishing, and I am very apposed to the possibility of having sewage dumped into it for any reason. This is a good size water way, and contamination would not be contained only in this area it would pass into other tributaries down stream and would effect all areas of the flood plain as well. All of the wildlife and livestock would be effected as well and I can see no benefit from this sewage being dumped into this area.

If you have any questions please call me at 573-437-4449 or 573-437-7779. I am very concerned about this issue and would like to see this water way being protected now and in the future from sewage and contamination.

Thank you,
Dablen J. Smith

To Dept. of Natural Resources,
Concerning: Dry Fork River

Corey Nicks, Age 20

7/13/08

Owensville, MO - Gasconade County

I have recently been informed of the raw sewage dumping proposal for the Dry Fork river. I live in Owensville, MO and our farm is bounded by the Dry Fork River on the North side. I am strictly opposed to the dumping of pollutants and raw sewage in our stream. We frequently trap, fish, ice skate, and swim in the Dry Fork River. In May of 2008 I recently visited "The Green Building" in Jefferson City; the head of the DNR in Missouri. I was on a field trip with Union State Technical College to learn about alternative building methods and "Going Green." The ~~energy~~ energy engineers + environmental engineers spoke of how Going Green will change the environment + make the earth a cleaner place. How can this small attempt of "Going Green" do anything for the environment if we dump raw sewage in Missouri streams + rivers? The engineers spoke of Solar Panels, Solar Water Heat, Recycled Rain water, and Passive Solar heating. How can any of these measures make a difference if we let huge companies make huge mistakes + ruin our clean Missouri streams? The small difference of one "Green Building" cannot offset the destructive measures of dumping raw sewage in the Dry Fork River.

The activities that my families participate in include fishing, swimming, trapping, ice-skating, wading, + canoeing in the Dry Fork River. We will not let anybody destroy this beautiful stream. If the stream is damaged with raw pollutants we will see diseased + dying wildlife + reduction in wildlife populations. Raw sewage will also cause dysentery + E. coli to form in our stream; causing great sickness to me, my family, cattle, + wildlife. Our deer, + beef will no longer be ~~healthy~~ healthy to eat. If we let this happen, what will be next?

Corey Nicks

7/13/2008

The Department of Natural Resources.

I am writing regarding the Dry Fork Creek issue. I am alarmed that I even have to write this letter to try to protect the health of myself and my children. How organizations feel that this dumping of these waste products into our stream is even the moral + ethical thing to do is beyond me.

I have taken my children to the Dry Fork Creek for over 20 years. We swim, fish and play ice hockey upon this stream. We live on Ben Church Road along the creek.

This dumping of sewage into our creek is an indication that the health of others is of no concern to the organizations that are chasing the cheapest + easiest way to make money + chase the almighty dollar at any cost to others completely being ignored.

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I have grown up on this Creek - (Swam, fished etc.)
 since I was a young child, I am now 47 years old,

I have heard that there are many rivers
 & lakes around the world that have been so
 polluted in this way of dumping sewage. I always
 wondered how this could happen - perhaps I
 thought these people did not know any better.
 I didn't think that could ever happen in America.
 I thought we knew better. I guess not everyone
 here knows better or they don't care one.

I thought there was a government with rules in
 place that would never allow something like this to
 happen any where.

Please stop this from happening. Please protect our water
 quality.

Donna Miller

TO Dept. of Natural Resources

Concerning: Dry Fork River

Please do not dump sewage in the Dry Fork River.
Dumping sewage in the River will not let us be able
to swim in the River. Then the deer, ducks, swans, muskrats,
so on so forth will all die. If the River floods it will
get into fields and lakes and all the fish will die. Then
the sewage will eventually get into the other rivers. This
sewage will cause ecologic infections and will hurt the cattle
in the Dry Fork River.

From: Justin Nicks

Dear, Department of Natural Resources

the idea of dumping raw sewage into the dry fork is absurd. Think about what your saying dumping poop, pee, and other chemicals from toilet bowl cleaners into my drinking water, and not just mine everybody ~~from~~ that lives in the country & drinks water from a spring or under water stream, & I live about a mile ~~upstream~~ upstream from where ~~the~~ highway nineteen crosses the dry fork my family & I use the Dry fork everyday for fishing, swimming, & trapping.

Now, think about this, the bacteria from the sewage will grow upstream and effect people everywhere in Missouri. Think about when you put an invasive species in the ecosystem it attacks and kills the competitors. The bacteria would contaminate all of Missouri & other states. Missouri is so porous that sewage could go under ground & sit in an underground reservoir forever and then if that reservoir broke all of Missouri would be completely contaminated that could happen over and over again.

I may only be thirteen but I care and
Dumping sewage in the dry fork would contaminate
the burbourse, Meramec, then Missouri & Mississippi.

Sincerely,
Trevor Nicks

How could you even think of such an outrageous thing to do to the people along the Dry Fork.

The creek would not only be contaminated but every-time it floods the land will be and so the crops they try to raise will be.

The children who wade, swim or fish will have numerous sicknesses from contaminated water.

The animals will be drinking this water - will have no chance it will be worse than swampy land.

The odor will be awful.

Henrietta Jovanovic



Missouri Department of Natural Resources

Stream Usage Survey

1. Stream Name (Please enter the full name)

2. County (Please enter the county or counties where the use occurs)

3. City or Town (Please enter city or town closest to the area of use)

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17. Do you have additional comments you would like to provide the department regarding this stream?

18. In the event the department has questions, please provide the following contact information:

First Name: Last Name:

Address 1: Address 2:

City: State: Zip Code: -

Phone Number: () - ext. E-mail:

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John Hoke/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR

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To Michael Kruse/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR@MODNR
cc
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Subject Fw: Stream Usage Survey Response

John Hoke
Environmental Specialist IV, TMDL Unit Chief
Water Quality Monitoring & Assessment Section
Missouri Department of Natural Resources
Phone: (573) 526-1446 Fax: (573) 522-9920

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To "John Hoke" <john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov>
cc
Subject Stream Usage Survey Response

Response from Quask form :

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StreamName:	Dry Fork River
StreamCounty1:	Gasconade
FamilyRecreationYesNo:	Yes
FamilyRecreationActivity:	Swimming Snorkling/Skin Diving
FamilySecondaryActivity:	Fishing Wading Boating Trapping
StreamCity:	Owensville
OthersRecreationYesNo:	Yes

StreamUseComments:	<p>I</p> <p>iCANT</p> <p>I CANT UNDERSTAND why any one would allow this action to happen let alone the consevation commission and there clean streams act I wade fish this creek three times a year I cant imagine any state official allowing the dumping of raw untreated sewage in to a public stream My represenatives and senators well be advised of my decision . No one will get my vote if they go along with this proposal</p>
OthersRecreationActivity:	<p>Swimming</p> <p>Tubing</p> <p>Snorkling/Skin Diving</p>
FamilyRecreationUsePerYear:	5
FamilySecondaryUsePerYear:	5
FamilyChildrenUsePerYear:	5
OthersRecreationUsePerYear:	5
OthersSecondaryActivity:	<p>Fishing</p> <p>Wading</p> <p>Boating</p> <p>Trapping</p>
OthersSecondaryUsePerYear:	5
OthersChildrenUsePerYear:	5
AdditionalComments:	<p>I dont the water polluted any more than it already is and livestock and farm waste in this area is not a concern untreatedsewage is</p>
ContactFirstName:	Richard
ContactLastName:	Noland
ContactAddress1:	509 west franklin

ContactCity:	Owensville
ContactState:	Missouri
ContactZipCode:	650
ContactZipCodeExt:	66
ContactPhoneArea Code:	573
ContactPhonePrefix:	437
ContactPhoneNumber:	4248

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Date: 8/22/08

Time: 3:57 pm

Caller: Mike Kruse

Contacted: Richard Noland

Phone number: (573) 437-4248

Water Body Name: Dry Fork Creek

WBID: 2041 and 2039

UAA: 0710

County: Gasconade

Reason for contact:

Follow up to on-line survey. No locations of recreational uses were included in the survey.

Comments:

Mr. Noland stated he uses the Dry Fk Creek at Republican Road to the confluence w/ the Bourbeuse River. He stated he uses the creek at least 3 to 4 times per year for swimming, fishing, wade fishing, and frogging. He stated his grandchildren use it for the same recreational activities. He also stated he does not do any trapping and he mistakenly marked the trapping box on the survey sheet. Mr. Noland also stated he uses the stream at the Highway EE crossing in Gasconade county.

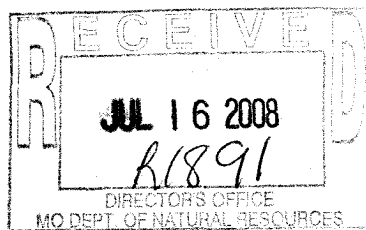
Mr. Doyle, Childers
Dear Sir,

7/14/08

Our home is the closest residence to the intersection of Dry Fork Creek and Jost Rd, in southern Gasconade County. Our property abuts the creek for approximately one-half mile.

Several times every year, we, our children and grandchildren swim, fish and float in this beautiful stream.

Please have your Department prohibit any effluent or harmful substance whatsoever into this natural and unique treasure.



Respectfully,
William J. Raack

WILLIAM J. RAACK
P.O. BOX 579
1926 JOST RD.
OWENSVILLE, Mo.
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Matt Blunt, Governor • Doyle Childers, Director

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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William J. Raack
P.O. Box 579
Owensville, MO 65066

Dear Mr. Raack:

Thank you for taking the time to express your interest in protecting the quality of water in Dry Fork Creek, in southern Gasconade County. Hopefully you understand that the Missouri Clean Water Act and the pertinent regulations do not allow the discharge of untreated waste water into the streams and rivers of the State of Missouri regardless of how the stream is classified. However, based on how the stream is being used, varying levels of treatment are allowed.

The Missouri Clean Water Commission (commission) promulgates rules and regulations to insure compliance with the Clean Water Act. The Missouri Department of Natural Resources (department) has the statutory responsibility to enforce the rules and regulations. In an effort to further protect and improve the quality of the state's waters, in 2005 the commission amended state water quality standards to designate more than 95 percent of Missouri's classified streams for Whole Body Contact Recreation (WBCR) use. At the same time, the commission directed the department to confirm that the WBCR use was appropriate for these newly designated waters. As a result of that request, the department began conducting structured, scientific surveys of these waters, called Use Attainability Analysis (UAA), to determine if WBCR, or swimming, is an attainable or existing use. At the same time UAA's were being conducted for WBCR, department staff also were evaluating streams for Secondary Contact Recreation (wading and fishing). Losing streams maintain the same level of bacterial protection as a stream designated as a WBCR use, regardless of the use. Under most circumstances, if a treatment plant is within two miles of a stream that has some type of recreational use (whole or secondary) or a losing stream designation, disinfection will be required to meet the state's water quality standards.

Dry Fork Creek received a UAA survey on the segment starting just above State Highway 28 in Maries County to the stream's confluence with Wallace Creek in Gasconade County. The UAA survey recorded depths less than those required to attain WBCR along the length of stream surveyed. These data are not surprising considering the majority of this segment is known to be a losing stream designated such in Missouri's water quality standards.



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Mr. William J. Raack

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As a result of the UAA survey, the department is recommending the WBCR use designation be removed for this segment of stream. At the same time, the UAA survey revealed evidence of existing Secondary Contact Recreation (SCR) uses (i.e. fishing and wading); therefore, the department is recommending that Dry Fork Creek be designated for SCR uses. Since Dry Fork Creek is a losing stream, it will still retain bacteria protections as stringent as those provided by WBCR designation. Dry Fork Creek downstream of the confluence with Wallace Creek will retain the WBCR use designation.

The department takes very seriously not only the protection and improvement of the quality of Missouri's waters but the protection of aquatic resources. While the department's mission is to protect, preserve, and enhance Missouri's natural resources, we strive to accomplish this mission without placing an undue economic hardship on our citizens. As an example, if a stream can not be used for contact recreation, the Clean Water Commission has determined that it is not reasonable to require a community to provide disinfection treatment to their waste water at a significant increase in cost when lesser level of bacteria treatment will protect the aquatic environment.

Hopefully, the above information addresses your concerns regarding the discharge of untreated waste water into Dry Fork Creek. The Clean Water Commission will be reviewing all public comments prior to making a final decision on WBCR use designation. The information you provided in your letter is very beneficial and will be used by the department and the commission in making a decision on whether Dry Fork Creek will continue to be designated for recreational use. Please feel free to provide additional comments to the department or directly to the commission. Additional comments can be directed to John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Water Protection Program, Missouri Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102 or email john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov. Thank you for expressing your interests in protecting Missouri's natural resources.

Sincerely,

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES



Doyle Childers
Director

DC/mwm

c: Rob Morrison, Water Protection Program

~~John Hoke, Water Protection Program~~

Recreation Use Form - John Hoke/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR



"Raaf, Deborah - Owensville,
MO"
<Deborah.Raaf@mo.nacdn.net>

07/15/2008 04:31 PM

To john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov
cc dsherburn@moenviron.org
bcc
Subject Recreation Use Form

Recreational Use of Your Stream

Name: _Debbie Raaf

Address: 3805 Schaefferkoetter Road, Owensville, MO, 65066

Phone Number: (573) 437-4091 E-mail address:

Stream name: _Dry Fork Creek WBID (if known):

What county is the stream in?
Gasconade

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975? Yes _X_ No

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

[Swimming] [Playing] [Fishing] [Wading]
Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking [Canoeing] [Trapping] Other:

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes X No
If so, how? _swimming & playing

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.
Hwy EE bridge to Hwy 19 bridge

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Recreation Use Form - John Hoke/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR

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Signature _Debbie Raaf

Date

7/15/08_____

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Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102,
or Fax: 573-522-9920, or Email:
john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov

Please use the back if you need more



"Richardson, Shari"
<Shari.Richardson@maritz.com>

08/28/2008 11:10 AM

To "michael.kruse@dnr.mo.gov" <'michael.kruse@dnr.mo.gov'>
cc
bcc Michael Kruse/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR
Subject DRY FORK CREEK

Mike,

I was informed that there is talk about dumping untreated waste water -- with lots of bacteria -- into the Dry Fork Creek. We use the Dry Fork Creek for swimming and cooling off, not to mention that some my friends livestock and pets use that as an area to drink and cool off. Several people at my work live in that area and their kids use that creek to swim and have fun. I can't believe that someone would think about doing something as dangerous and dumping untreated waste into a creek. I hope there is something that can be done to STOP this from happening!

Thanks.

Shari Richardson
Client Technology Solutions
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Recreational Use of Your Stream

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WATER PROTECTION PROGRAM

Name: Mark Sands / Daniel + Frances Graham
Address: 1891 Bum Church Rd., Owensville, MO
Phone Number: (314) 781-7996 E-mail address: msands@im.wustl.edu
Stream name: Dry Fork Creek WBID (if known): _____

What county is the stream in? Gasconade

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975?
Yes X No _____

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

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Between Hwy EE and RTE 19 bridge

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Signature Mark S. Sands Date 7/21/08

Mail to: John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102,
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Please use the back if you need more space to answer questions or to provide additional information or maps



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To "John Hoke" <john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov>

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Subject Stream Usage Survey Response

Response from Quask form :

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StreamName:	Dry Fork Creek
StreamCounty1:	Gasconade
FamilyRecreationYesNo:	Yes
FamilyRecreationActivity:	Swimming Tubing
FamilySecondaryActivity:	Fishing Wading
StreamCity:	Owensville
OthersRecreationYesNo:	Yes
StreamUseComments:	Below Highway 19 Bridge to where it empties into the Bourbeuse River
OthersRecreationActivity:	Swimming
FamilyRecreationUsePerYear:	5
FamilySecondaryUsePerYear:	25
FamilyChildrenUsePerYear:	10
OthersRecreationUsePerYear:	15
OthersSecondaryActivity:	Fishing Wading
OthersSecondaryUsePerYear:	20
OthersChildrenUsePerYear:	15
AdditionalComments:	I am appalled that DNR is considering removing Dry Fork Creek from protection by the federal Clean Water Act. My family has continually used Dry Fork Creek for swimming, fishing, and wading for my entire life. I have lived on Dry Fork for 62 years, so I know first hand what and how often recreational activities occur there. It is not unusual for fisherman to wade downstream from the Highway 19 Bridge. In warm weather when we cross the low water bridge right above where Dry Fork empties into the Bourbeuse we quite often see people fishing, swimming, or wading. It is a wonderful spot for children.
ContactFirstName:	Peggy
ContactLastName:	Schafer
ContactAddress1:	2015 Kramme Rd.
ContactCity:	Owensville
ContactState:	Missouri

» Stream Usage Survey Response - John Hoke/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR

ContactZipCode:	65066
ContactPhoneArea Code:	573
ContactPhonePrefi x:	437
ContactPhoneNum ber:	2086
ContactEmail:	schaferjp@yahoo.com

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Missouri Department of Natural Resources

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"Sommers, Sandy"
<Sandy.Sommers@maritz.com>

08/28/2008 10:50 AM

To michael.kruse@dnr.mo.gov

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Thanks.

Sandy Sommers

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Phone Log
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Date: 9/4/2008

Time: 9:25 am

Caller: M. Kruse

Contacted: Sandy Sommers

Phone number: (636) 827-1677

Water Body Name: Dry Fork Creek

WBID: 2039 UAA: None

County: Gasconade

Reason for contact:

Follow-up to comments of recreational uses received via e-mail on 8/28/2008. No locations were given in e-mail.

Comments:

Children swim when visiting friends who own property near Owensville, MO. Dry Fork Creek runs through her friends' property.

Aug. 3, 2008

RECEIVED
2008 AUG -5 PM 1:14
WATER PROTECTION PROGRAM

VAA Coordinator
Water Protection Program
P.O. Box 176
Jefferson City, Mo. 65102

ATTN: John Hoke

I'm writing in regard to the proposal to remove Dry Fork Creek from protection from those who would pollute this wonderful creek by our home. It's incomprehensible that someone would consider dumping unregulated sewage into the creek. Our house is about $\frac{1}{2}$ mile from the creek but it forms part of the boundary of my daughter's farm (right next door to me). We have always enjoyed taking her 2 boys to the creek to swim & fish or just to relax - We see deer & turkeys along there & this spring had a bald eagle flying along the course of the creek. Please do not allow this travesty to happen. We

feel so privileged to live this close to a
natural CLEAN flowing stream and
would very much appreciate it being
left in its present pristine state.

Thank you very much

Jacquelyn Stauber

4055 Hwy EE

Owensville, Mo 65066

573-437-7208

52BR@EARTHLINK.NET



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**Rob
Morrison/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR**

08/07/2008 11:29 AM

To Philip Tremblay/OD/MODNR@MODNR

cc Malinda Overhoff/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR@MODNR, John
Hoke/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR@MODNR

bcc

Subject Re: Fw: Gasconade co. Dry fork Creek 

Thanks, we'll take this as a comment on the UAA. John, please give her our response to the Dry Fork concerns. Thanks, Rob.

Robert K. Morrison, P.E.
Chief, Water Pollution Control Branch
Water Protection Program
Missouri Department of Natural Resources
(573)/526-0991
(573)/522-9920 (fax)
rob.morrison@dnr.mo.gov

[Philip Tremblay---08/06/2008 01:01:06 PM---Stream impact comment: Thanks](#)

From: Philip Tremblay/OD/MODNR
To: Rob Morrison/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR@MODNR
Cc: Malinda Overhoff/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR@MODNR
Date: 08/06/2008 01:01 PM
Subject: Fw: Gasconade co. Dry fork Creek

Stream impact comment:
Thanks

Philip J. Tremblay

Public Information Coordinator
Assistant Editor, Missouri Resources
Missouri Department of Natural Resources
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"Jacquelyn Steuber "
<s2br@earthlink.net>

08/03/2008 12:18 PM

To contact@dnr.mo.gov

cc

Subject Gasconade co. Dry fork Creek

I strongly object to the opening of Dry Fork Creek to pollution, we use the creek to swim, fish, picnic, camping and many other uses, have seen Bald Eagle flying along the creek, we live near the creek and do not want it polluted.

Ron Wainright
4055 hwy E E
Owensville, Mo.
65066
573-437-7208
rwainright@earthlink.net

Phone Log
2007 UAA Public Comments

Date: 8/26/08

Time: 8:15 am

Caller: Ron Wainright

Contacted: Mike Kruse

Phone number: Mr. Wainright contacted DNR at (573) 522-4901

Water Body Name: Dry Fork Creek

WBID: 2039

UAA: None

County: Gasconade

Reason for contact:

Follow up to e-mail comments sent on 08/03/2008

Comments:

Mr. Wainright stated he used the creek quite regularly at the Highway EE bridge crossing south of Owensville, MO.



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WATER PROTECTION PROGRAM

Dear. John Hoke...

My name is Wade Wilkerson I am 17 years old. I have been fishing, swimming, wading, and canoeing in that creek ever since I can remember. I have moved to Oklahoma 4 years ago. My grandfather called and told me what they are trying to do. It brought tears to my eyes. I am going to the marines this year. I am going to Missouri to the Dry Fork to fish it one last time."

Wade Wilkerson

P.S.

All the fun I had was on the creek

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Recreational Use of Your Stream

Name:

Wade Wilkerson

Address:

1201 South 17th Chickasha Oklahoma 73018

Phone Number: (405) 274-2089 E-mail address:

Stream name: Dry Fork Creek WBID (if known):

What county is the stream in? maries county

Have you or your family used this stream for recreation at any time since November 28, 1975? Yes X No

How have you and your family used the stream? Please circle all that apply:

Swimming Playing Fishing Wading Water skiing Snorkeling Skin diving
Tubing Kayaking Canoeing Trapping Other: fish bait

Has anyone in your family, including children, ever used the stream in a way where they might have accidentally ingested water? Yes X No If so, how?

Swimming, Wading

What stretches of the stream have your family used? Describe locations as accurately as you can by means of distance from landmarks, bridges, streets, highways, or property lines (example: 150 yards downstream from Hwy EE bridge). Feel free to draw (on back) or include a map.

Hwy 2 - Hwy 19

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Hwy-Z to Hwy 19

Signature

Wade Wilkinson.

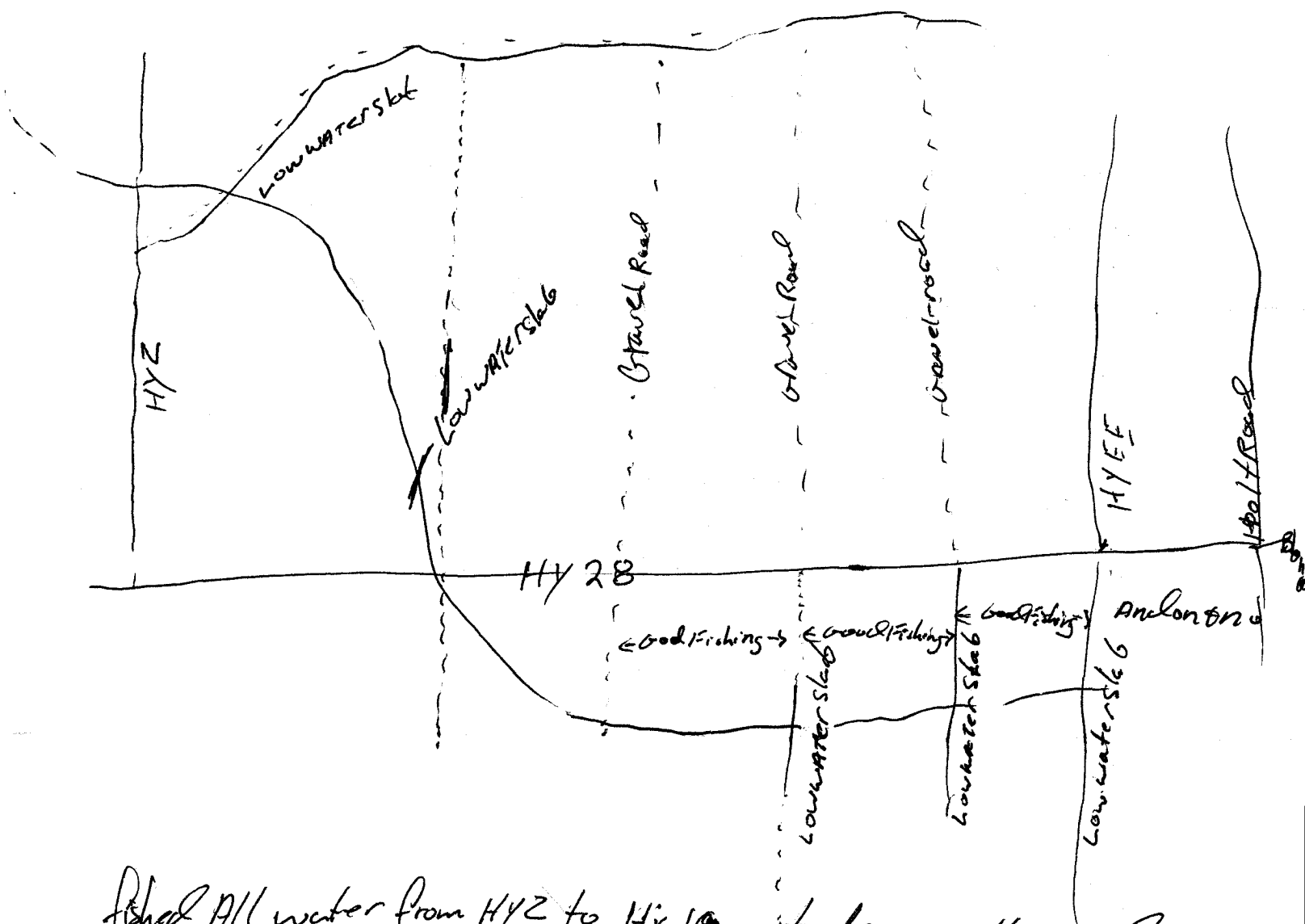
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Mail to: John Hoke, UAA Coordinator, Department of Natural Resources, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102,

or Fax: 573-522-9920, or Email: john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov

Please use the back if you need more space to answer questions or to provide additional information or maps



Fished all water from HY 2 to HY 19 out of Owensville and beyond
 many 716 + 816. Bass, Smallmouth closer to Barbours River &
 Brush Creek off 19 + CC Hy.



"rodney wilson "
<rwilowe@fidnet.com>

07/20/2008 05:12 PM

To john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov

cc

bcc

Subject Dry Fork Creek recommended for exemption from bacteria standards

I tried to find the comment form on your website, but it was no longer there.

I am writing to ask you to please not dump sewage into Dry Fork Creek.

I moved to my current residence in 2000 (4100 Highway EE, Owensville) It was not long before I became acquainted with Dry Fork Creek. There is a cement slab over the Dry Fork on Krause Rd to allow traffic to cross. This place is called the beach by many people in the area. I have not swam, fished, or waded in the Dry Fork but this area is a popular gather place where swimming, fishing, and wading does take place. Its a great place to just watch the water go over the slab and get together with friends. When it rains real heavy the Dry Fork will flood over its banks.

I live closer to the Highway EE bridge that spans the Dry Fork and have seen it also flood over its banks.

I am sure there are many other places along the Dry Fork that people enjoy.

I again ask you Sir to please not destroy Dry Fork Creek by allowing unregulated sewage dumping, what a tragedy that would be.

Rodney Wilson
4100 Highway EE
Owensville, MO 65066



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10/21/2008 08:33 AM

To Bill Whipps/WPCP/DEQ/MODNR@MODNR
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Subject Fw: Stream Usage Survey Response

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To "John Hoke" <john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov>
cc
Subject Stream Usage Survey Response

Response from Quask form :

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StreamName:
Dry Fork Creed

StreamCounty1:
Gasconade

FamilyRecreationYesNo:
Yes

FamilyRecreationActivity:
Swimming
Tubing

StreamCounty2:
Maries

FamilySecondaryActivity:
Fishing
Wading
Boating

StreamCity:
Owensville

OthersRecreationY

esNo:	Yes
StreamUseComments:	<p>Hwy 19 South of Owensville @ Bem MO.</p> <p>I am 55 years old and I swam in that creek when I was small. I lived next to that creek and fished in that creek.</p> <p>Gig Frogs in that creek. How in the world can you possibly even THINK about ruining that creek. Cattle drink from that creek leaving that meat tainted for us to eat. How UNHEALTHLY can you let us live and our children live.</p>
OthersRecreationActivity:	<p>Swimming</p> <p>Tubing</p>
FamilyRecreationUsePerYear:	0
FamilySecondaryUsePerYear:	6
FamilyChildrenUsePerYear:	6
OthersRecreationUsePerYear:	24
OthersSecondaryActivity:	<p>Fishing</p> <p>Wading</p> <p>Boating</p>
OthersSecondaryUsePerYear:	24
OthersChildrenUsePerYear:	24
AdditionalComments:	<p>YES I grew up at the Dry Fork Creek. I was taught to fish in that creek and wade there swim there and catch crawdads there. How in the world can anyone want to even THINK about ruining that Creek or anyother creek.. I am 55 now and I have children and grandchildren that wade or canoe in that creek. The fish they catch they EAT. Would you let your children eat from a stream that was contaminated with disease. How UNHEALTHY can you all be for even thinking about this????????? Don't kill us off this beautiful earth yet. That is GOD'S job not YOURS.</p> <p>God's creatures drink from that creek on a daily basis, and you all know that</p>
ContactFirstName:	Debbie
ContactLastName:	Adams

ContactAddress1:	2243
ContactCity:	Rosebud
ContactState:	Missouri
ContactZipCode:	63091
ContactEmail:	bosslady@fidnet.com

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StreamCounty1:	Gasconade
FamilyRecreationYesNo:	Yes
FamilyRecreationActivity:	Swimming
FamilySecondaryActivity:	Wading
StreamCity:	Bem
OthersRecreationYesNo:	Yes
StreamUseComments:	Along Highway 19 and accesses to the creek from the gravel roads close to Bem .

OthersRecreationActivity:	Swimming
FamilyRecreationUsePerYear:	2
FamilySecondaryUsePerYear:	4
FamilyChildrenUsePerYear:	4
OthersRecreationUsePerYear:	4
OthersSecondaryActivity:	Fishing Wading
OthersSecondaryUsePerYear:	4
OthersChildrenUsePerYear:	4
AdditionalComments:	As an adult that grew up playing in this water, it saddens me to think my own children may miss out on this opportunity. The numbers above are estimates. Between 1988 and 1991, family and friends used the creek for swimming, wading, and fishing weekly. I have since moved away, but my children enjoy going to the creek when we visit grandparents on a monthly basis.
ContactFirstName:	Nicky
ContactLastName:	Kemp
ContactAddress1:	1850 Shady Creek
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StreamUseComments:	Highway 19 South from Owensville, MO 65066
OthersRecreationActivity:	Swimming Tubing
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FamilySecondaryUsePerYear:	6
FamilyChildrenUsePerYear:	6
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OthersSecondaryUsePerYear:	20
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AdditionalComments:	This is nice creek that runs through my family farm and have enjoyed it for over 40 years and do to this day. This creek runs into the Bourbeuse River that runs into the Meramec River, that runs into the Mississippi. Why now is there efforts being put forth to take this creek out of the protection of the DNR? Will this mean that the land owners will then "own" the creek? Does this mean that the creek will be open to ATV's and random digging in the creek as well as low restrictions on pollutants and waste?
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